

## Mothers Day Tea and Programme

A Mothers' Day programme and Tea was held in the Bassano T.O.O.P. Hall last Friday afternoon, May 14th, under the auspices of the Bassano Women's Institute.

The programme opened with all singing "O Canada." This was followed by a Mothers' Day address by Mrs. A. P. Moore, guest resident of this district and Honorary President of the Institute for many years at this point. She told the story of how Mothers' Day originated. Reading the W. I. Creed, she advised the members to all try and live up to it. She also explained to the audience the good work done all over the Dominion by the Women's Institutes.

A lively part of the programme was a singing exhibition given by Miss May MacLellan, Lorne MacLellan, with Miss Frances Leonard, accompanist at the piano. Songs of tribute to Mothers were given by Miss Jean Johnson accompanied by Miss Grace Shearer. A song by Albert Menzies accompanied by Miss Hopkins was greatly appreciated. Recitations were given by Isobel Conn and Henry Morrison.

The outstanding feature of the tea was the entertainment given by Mrs. Pook titled "My Mother." The programme closed with all singing "God Save the King." A hearty round of thanks was extended to all who helped to make the afternoon such a wonderful success.

## Rosemary Trounces Bassano Ball Team

Last Sunday afternoon the first league ball game of the season between Bassano and Rosemary was played on the Rosemary diamond. The game, throughout the whole nine innings was very one sided, the Rosemary boys seeming to have the pep and snap that the Bassano lads lack. The score, 18-1 should clearly indicate this.

The local boys found too many fingers on their hands in many occasions, making errors that proved the easterners a head of 13 to 1 at the end of the third inning.

Arrison, twirler for Rosemary, slugged up over and outwitted that provided ball for numerous strikes-out on the part of the Bassano team. Remmie Hayes and Huff, in turn, summed the mound duties for the local boys, but with little support, were unable to hold Rosemary down.

In the ninth inning, Chester Edwards, well known in these parts, added a touch of humor to the game by displaying his agility as a chucker for Rosemary. Going through numerous straight balls which bluffed the batters into gently tapping them, until three men were put out. — Bassano scored two runs in this inning off hits by Cathro and Gay.

Rosemary—Truface; R. White, c. D. White, lb. H. Arrison, p. H. Hiltz, ss. Eastman, cf. Bob Simmons, 3b. Frank 2b. C. Narum, if.

Bassano—J. Schaffer, Arrison, p. J. Remmie, Hayes, Huff, p. E. McLeister, 1b. Marquardt, 2b. Gayford, ss. R. Schaffer, 3b. Cary, cf. Cathro, cf. H. Schaffer, if.

Score by Innings—

Bassano — 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 2 — 18

Rosemary — 5 0 4 0 1 0 3 — 18

CORONATION AND MOTHERS' DAY SERVICE, HUSSAR

The Hussar Sunday School and Church combined in a Coronation and Mothers' Day commemorative service in the hall on Sunday afternoon. Emerson Brown, the superintendent, had charge of the programme, which consisted of readings: "The Sleepy Dust Man" by Alva Anderson; "A Code for Mother" by Edith Burdett; a duet, "Did You Mother Come from Ireland" by Peggy Holland and Florence Campbell; and a special number by Joan Campbell. Ray A. R. Aldridge of Calgary preached on the text "God Save Our King." His message was a plea for keeping of the law. Next services will be on May 30th at 11:15 p.m. in the school house.

## Gem Notes

On Sunday, the Chessmen Hall team played Gem. A good game was played, Countess winning by a 4 to 2 score. Gem team played Rosemary on May 13th, defeating them by a 5 to 2 score.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Herford have moved into their new home. We wish them success.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown visited their daughters at Dickens over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harwell were Bassano visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Archibald and daughter, Ella, were visitors at the Harwell home on Sunday.

Mr. Walter Sullivan was a Calgary visitor on Tuesday.

Mr. Dickson is remodeling a house for W. Gibbs.

## Baseball Schedule for 1937

May 15—Countess at Rosemary  
May 16—Makapeke at Gem  
May 17—Rosemary at Bassano  
May 18—Countess at Gem  
May 19—Gem at Bassano  
May 20—Countess at Makapeke  
June 6—Bassano at Gem  
June 6—Rosemary Makapeke  
June 12—Rosemary at Countess  
June 13—Bassano at Makapeke  
June 20—Makapeke at Countess  
June 26—Gem at Rosemary  
June 27—Bassano at Countess  
July 4—Countess at Bassano  
July 4—Makapeke at Rosemary  
July 11—Gem at Countess  
July 11—Makapeke at Bassano.

## HUSSAR FARMER HAS FUEL STOLEN FROM ENGINE

Hussey, May 4th.—A sneak thief stole two gallons pure, one battery, four gallons of lubricating oil and 50 gallons of fuel from the engine belonging to Mr. J. Johansen, after one o'clock Tuesday morning. Mr. Johansen, who farms one mile west of Shallow Water School, had been working his engine day and night, but left it at one a.m. Tuesday morning, as it became too cold to work. When he returned this morning, his engine was stripped of the above articles, even the fuel which he had put in Monday evening. He feels that he had been watched, and that the thief knew that he had left the engine Tuesday morning.

## Fine Weather Draws Large Crowd to Local Celebration

Committees in charge of the Bassano Coronation Celebration Well Repaid for their efforts to make the day a success.

People from all parts of the district gathered at Bassano on Wednesday to take part in the celebration of the Coronation of their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth. After two days of wind and dust, Wednesday morning broke in calm and bright, making it an ideal day for the event.

Practically all business places and residential houses in town were decorated in patriotic manner, with flags, bunting and streamers. Colored lights and streamers strung across Main Street also added greatly to the decorative effect.

At 1:00 p.m. sharp, the parade started in its procession to the Sports Grounds. This was led by the R.C.M.P. and Boy Scouts, both in full dress uniform. School classrooms, the Five Brigades, floats, decorated cars and motorcycles composed the remainder of the parade.

After arriving at the grounds the Scouts performed the unfurling and saluting of the flag ceremony. This was followed by an exercise drill and signalling and first aid demonstrations by the Scouts. Dr. Booth upon inspection of the first aid demonstration, pronounced it as very satisfactory.

Community singing led by Miss McCann was enjoyed, all joining in refreshing in their memories tunes of days gone by. Mr. Alf Hansen, in

a pleasing manner, rendered a vocal solo. A Scottish dance and a tap dance given by local girls were also part of the afternoon's entertainment. Following this Mr. Wm. McEwan delivered a very instructive and pleasing Coronation address to the interested audience.

The presentation of Coronation medals to all the school children, and of prizes for the parade winners was made by Mr. James Johnston, master of ceremonies.

The sports program, conducted by Mr. Whitehorn, got under way at 4 p.m. Many school children took part. Among the winners receiving cash prizes for their efforts.

At approximately 8 o'clock a huge bonfire was lit on the lot across from the local Post Office. Many people gathered around this to watch the flames leap high into the air, and to impress on their memory the significance of the day.

The dance held in the Masonic Community Hall, drew a capacity crowd. Dainty and life Orchestra kept things moving throughout the evening providing snappy dance music to the delight of all.

It is the belief of the committees in charge of the affairs of the day, that the entertainment suited the occasion to the best fitting manner. They wish to thank all who co-operated in the day to help make the day the splendid success that it was.

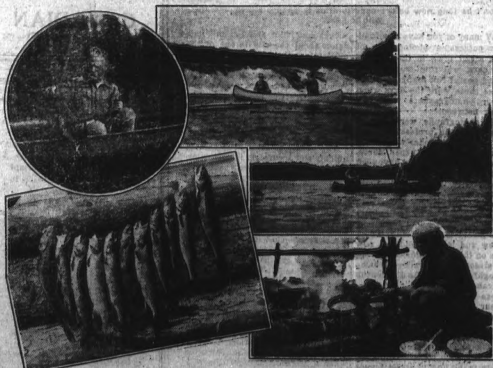
## CORONATION CELEBRATION

The Celebration Committee wish to extend their sincere thanks to everyone who assisted to make the Celebration the unequalled success which it turned out to be.

The weather man was in a good mood, and it is hoped that everyone enjoyed themselves and that the occasion will long be remembered by all those who took part.

It is requested that anyone having any account against the Committee will submit same to the Secretary, Mr. Jan. R. Donaldson.

## Sport Fishermen Ready for Season



Canadian fishermen, bored to tears after telling each other all winter about the big ones that got away, will soon be able to make a fresh start, spring brings the opening of fishing streams throughout Canada, and indications from inquiries from sportsmen and information from guides pouring into the offices of A. O. Seymour, former tourist agent, Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, are that game fish are going to have a hard time of it.

More people are planning early treks to take advantage of the fishing while it is at its best. The many fine fishing spots in the Railway hotels in the Maritimes and Quebec, the Devil's Gap and French River, Bangor Camp in Ontario, and bumper camps in the different provinces, a fact shows to fishing booklets, etc., as well as favored fishing centres on Canadian Pacific lines.

Indicate that sportmen are on the move again. The number of Canadians travelling within Canada and of Americans visiting this country especially for fishing has increased many fold. In a country the size of Canada, and with its variety of fish and conditions, creating seasons very wide in the different provinces, a fact shows to fishing booklets, etc., as well as favored fishing centres on Canadian Pacific lines.

## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Stranges

The fondest hopes of thousands of Western farmers were ruthlessly dashed in 1916 by the grim killer—black stem rust.

"We must help these suffering people" exclaimed Dr. Hailer, head of the Hussey Department, University of Manitoba. He jumped on a train and proceeded to the rust infected State of Minnesota to find out what the scientists there were doing to combat the enemy.

Dr. Hailer's recommendation for Canada's action were submitted to Ottawa. Dr. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, and Dr. Gussow, Dominion Botanist, were jointly responsible for the quick allocation of \$50,000 for rust investigations work.

Research Laboratories were soon established at Indian Head and Brandon, then later at the University of Saskatchewan; all under the direction of Professor Praser.

The same destruction of Western crops by rust, however, occurred again in 1923.

"Much more must be done by the farmers to save these crops" and "somewhat," urged the Dominion Minister of Agriculture, Mr. McArthur. Backed up by Dr. Tivy, of the Research Council, Mr. McArthur, in 1925 obtained from Parliament \$50,000.00.

With this fund in 1925, the present Rust Research Laboratory at Winnipeg was built, directed by Dr. Hailer until 1928; since then by the able scientist, Dr. Craigie.

Following factors have tended to raise the price:— Grasshopper, spreading in Australia and most sections need rain—Cattle prohibits wheat exports—Holland reduces import duties on wheat and corn—French Morocco temporarily has barley exports—China reduces import duties on rice—Spain an active grain buyer—Price of gold unlikely to be reduced in Great Britain or the U.S.

Following factors have tended to lower the price:—Selling underbids in Western Canada—U.S. wheat offered freely for August shipment—European political situation improves—Seedling blights in Argentina—Large citrus fruit exports from Palestine—Navigation returns on the Great Lakes—Corn planting starts in the U.S.

## Bassano Girls Trim Countess

Sunday afternoon's softball game in Countess saw the Bassano girls take a long lead to come out on the top of a 21 to 13 score. Seven errors were marked against the girls in the game. Both teams showed fine practice and spirit.

The sixth and seventh innings proved costly for Countess, when a total of 14 runs were scored by Bassano. Other than these two innings, Countess outplayed the western visitors. The combination of Fern Ferguson, pitcher, and Pauline Cadot, first base for Countess, started when they accounted for 11 put-outs. Violet Bacon, pitcher for Bassano, allowed 21 hits, 12 runs and struck out 6 batters. Fern Ferguson for Countess allowed 25 hits, 21 runs and struck out 8.

Allice Cowan proved to be the hardest hitter, getting two two-base hits. Dorothy Beeber was the best batter, getting 4 hits from 7 times at bat, scoring 5 runs.

Two Bassano players were left on base and 12 Countess players.

Bassano was credited with 8 errors and Countess with nine.

Countess—Allice Cowan c. Fern Ferguson, p. Polly Cadot, 1b. Grace Ferguson, 2b. Jean Hayes, 3b. Betty Tump, ss. Betty Goudle, cf. Ruth Goudle, if. Betty Cline, if. Denia Tump, 2b.

Bassano—Dora Pearson c. Violet Bacon, p. Jean Marquardt, 1b. Freda Shalek, 2b. Mary Lora, 3b. Jennie Tump, 4b. Carolyn Beeber, cf. Dorothy Beeber, if. Olga Lakostoff, if. Olga Chalk, ss.

Zeal is very blind or badly regulated when it is based upon the rights of others—Queneau.

The only story of my life we have to hope for is the story of being normal. Katherine Gernard.

## Hussar Stampede Mon., May 24th

The date for the annual Hussar Stampede has been announced for May 24th this year. The program will consist of all kinds of races and events such as Bareback Bucking Horse, Wild Horse races, "Democrat" Race, "Pony Race" etc. The Stampede will commence sharp at one p.m. In the evening a Calgary six-piece orchestra will supply the music for a dance to start at approximately 7:30 p.m.

All communications regarding the Stampede should be sent to Mr. E. F. Hill, secretary of the Hussar branch of the Alberta Stampede Managers' association.

## Bassano Wins from Makapeke

On Wednesday afternoon, ball fans at the Bassano ball club win their second game of the season when they defeated Makapeke by a score of 15-7. The first time since the season began were very disorganized, and allowed Makapeke to take a 4-1 lead. However, with Art Simpson taking over the duties at short-stop, he boy steadied themselves and began to show what they were capable of doing.

Defence pitchers were hit hard and often, to keep the bases occupied practically all the time. Numerous runners accounted for several runs made by both teams.

Following factors have tended to show a great improvement in their playing over the last game in Bassano this being the result of frequent practice on their own diamond. Before the season is over, these two teams should be able to provide fans with as interesting a class of ball as one could hope to see in these parts.

On Sunday, May 16th, the local boys go to Glenora to play the western boys. It is hoped that some local people will aid the boys by offering transportation by cars.

Bassano—Arrison c. J. Hayes, p. J. Clark, Marquardt, 1b. Schaffer, 2b. Cary, cf. Cathro, cf. Gayford, cf. H. Schaffer, J. Schaffer, 3b. Huff, J. Schaffer.

## W. E. Cain, M.L.A., Speaks at Hussar

Hussar, May 6th.—On Wednesday evening, W. E. Cain, M.L.A. for Bow Valley Constituency, addressed a gathering of Social Creditors from Hussar, Standard, Channing, and Duck Lake, with the hall filled to capacity. He proved to the satisfaction of ninety-nine percent of those present that the present government has blocked every effort to pass Social Credit legislation. He said that of the 95 bills passed, the 90th had to do with Social Credit, and in his opinion, the Social Credit legislation should have come first. Mr. Cain was introduced by Mr. L. P. Schooning.

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## YOUNG-SIMPSON

A wedding of much local interest was performed in Lethbridge last Saturday, when Isobel Simpson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Simpson of Bassano, became the bride of Mr. Irvine Young, one of our local business men.

This popular young couple will take up residence in Bassano where Mr. Young has an interest in the Business of Persons' Service Station.

Their great host of friends wish them much happiness in the years to come.

## BORN AT BASSANO HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. Dave Krause, of Rosemary, a son on May 13th, 1937.

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## LOCAL CELEBRATION

The 12th of May, 1937, Coronation Celebration at Bassano was admittedly one of the best organized and successful events ever staged.

Promptly at one p.m. the parade started from the Hotel to the grounds where all arrangements for the two hour programme were in complete readiness, and the programme itself started promptly at the scheduled time.

There was no huff between the time of commencement and the conclusion of the programme. The sports which were held for the benefit of the children were all run off smoothly and on time.

The bonfire at night and the dance were additional attractions and were both well organized and attended.

The committee in charge and the individuals responsible for the various arrangements made are to be congratulated on the success of their efforts.

The loud speaker service provided by Mr. Pete Ubertino was an excellent success. This is a feature which should hereafter be used on all open public occasions.

It might have added considerably to the community singing had there been a number of singers immediately behind the "mike" to lend further volume to the able efforts of Miss McCannell. Likewise we think that it might have been better had the bonfire been lit after dark, but these are small details which possibly were not thought of, and besides we do not have Coronations every year to lend us experience in managing such events.

## FAIR GROUNDS AND BASEBALL

The Board of Trade at its own expense has furnished to this community an asset in the fair grounds which have already proved their worth on several occasions. These grounds are a great asset which should be preserved, protected and added to as time, money, etc., will permit.

The matter of preserving the grass, particularly on the race track is important. In addition to experimenting with the water system to add to the natural growth, which we understand will be tried under the supervision of the Town Engineer and Mr. Snape of the E.D. There are certain abuses of the track taking place which should be stopped forthwith.

For instance the practise of using the track as a speedway or proving ground for automobiles should cease. Likewise as far as possible, athletics and school children in training for athletic events should use other suitable ground for practise purposes thereby co-operating in preserving the grass and keeping down the curse of dust.

The local baseball club showed great initiative and energy in getting a ball club organized. Several games have been played and there seems to be quite a considerable amount of enthusiasm among the rank and file of the players who are to be observed out at practice more or less regularly.

We are sorry that we cannot extend to the club any congratulations for its efforts in fixing up the back-stop which in its present condition is not only a disgrace, but a menace to spectators. One man could do all the work necessary to make this back-stop presentable and safe in a few hours, provided he actually did some work.

## THE C. I. O.

The efforts of the C.I.O. (the Committee for Industrial Organization) under the leadership of Mr. Lewis of the U.S.A., seems to have run up against something new in its experience in the shape of Premier Heppburn of Ontario—a doughy opponent.

In the U.S.A. this organization seems to indulge in practices which would be unlawful in Canada, but to the credit of its emissaries in the recent Oshawa dispute, they seem to have forgotten these tactics in Canada—or it is merely an admission that they could not get away with it in this country?

The impetuous Mr. Heppburn promptly announced that those who struck would get no relief. Logical? Certainly. Then he fired a couple of his Ministers who wanted to give relief.

The Liberal press is split over his policy with the C. I. O. and he has clashed with Ottawa on the same issue, but the Globe and Empire has become a staunch champion, ably aided by the Conservative opposition to which latter Mr. Heppburn has expressed his appreciation.

It is going to be interesting to watch the fight between Mr. Heppburn and the C. I. O. in Canada, but it will be a great deal more interesting to watch developments in the announced warfare between Ford and Lewis in connection with the Ford works at Detroit.

## A PROVINCIAL ELECTION

Popular opinion seems to be veering strongly to the opinion that the clash between the Provincial Government and the Insurgents is so serious that the two factions cannot possibly be reconciled. If this is true then the betting is long odds on the chances of there being an election some time this fall. We cannot imagine Mr. Abernethy stepping down to any member or group of members in the Assembly, and being content to take a back seat. If he cannot get sufficient support in the House for his policies, the prerogative is his to go to the people for a mandate to carry on, and our guess is that he will take that chance rather than become a mere back-bencher in support of a group of men, each and every one of whom he unquestionably puts in their present places.

## CHILDREN WARNED AGAINST PICKING UP HEATING CAPS

Danger to children picking up and playing with carelessly discarded blasting caps, sometimes called dynamite caps, is prevalent at this time of year when melting snow again leaves the ground uncovered. Parents should warn their children that if they should find any lying about, to leave them alone and in no way to touch them.

These little pellets of concentrated powder are not likely to be found, of course, in the city streets and playgrounds, although there are cases where they have been found in metropolitan areas.

But alongside country roads, in fields recently cleared of obstructions and in the vicinity of any kind of blasting operations, there is always a chance that children may find these copper capsules which have become so many unfortunate youngsters, and killed others.

The blasting cap is necessary to explode dynamite. And in these days of quarrying, but by farmers every where, it is used to plant young trees as well as to blast stumps, to make new streams and widen old ones. Much of it is used in highway construction.

Therefore, the lurking peril of the blasting cap, an instrument painstakingly made safe for those who know its needful purpose and its power, but deadly to the unwary child or grown-up who picks it up and plays with it. For in spite of constant warnings, heedless users of these caps do occasionally scatter them in ill-considered places or scatter them carelessly around.

These small aluminium or copper cylinders, bright and shiny, filled with a powerful explosive, are about one-quarter of an inch in diameter, from one to two inches long, and resemble an elongated tin-calibre cartridge, except that some have wires attached to them.

One cap can tear a hole through a plate of steel one-sixteenth of an inch thick. A few together can blow their way through a two-inch plank of oak.

If tossed into a fire, a cap instantly

explodes like shrapnel, whose flying segments are blasting bits for the rest of all nearby. If lightly pounded with a hammer or even pried and faked at, they are likely to explode, or at least to light a fuse. If set off, it is inevitable.

## PERIODICAL HEALTH EXAMINATIONS

Many Smith, Canadian Nurse, with twinkling of golden hair, clear intelligent eyes, and handsome features, served the needs of soldiers in the hospital at Bisping, France, during the period of the war. She met her late there in the person of Lieutenant Sanders of the United States Navy. They were married and went to live in Philadelphia in 1920. The husband was promoted and had a comfortable position in the Navy. They were very happy and in the course of five years two fine children, a boy and a girl, arrived to cheer the household of the pair. (Names are, of course, fictitious.)

One day, chatting with a young woman friend, the subject of periodical medical examinations came up for discussion. The prettiest of nurses are required to present themselves at regular intervals for physical examination in order that the authorities may know whether their men are fit. This privilege is extended to the families of those employed in the Navy.

Although there was apparently nothing wrong with these young women, they decided to have the examinations thus conveniently provided. Thinking it a bit of a joke, they went up for examination whereupon it was discovered the wife of the Lieutenant (now a Captain) Sanders had a small cancer of the breast. She was advised, prompt treatment by radium in the clinic of the hospital and had supervision at regular short intervals for three years and subsequently every six months. It is now, eight years since treatment was initiated, there has been no return of the condition discovered and the young woman has remained perfectly well. There is no doubt that in this case periodical examination saved the life of this bright young woman.

A man, 33 years of age called to see

his doctor because of a touch of what he called "indigestion." He looked the picture of health. He had never had any illness. Routine examination included an analysis of the urine. Sugar was found in the man's urine and further investigation proved that he had an early case of diabetes. He was put on a proper diabetic diet and now, ten years later, is in good health, if he had waited until the diabetic conditions showed marked symptoms he would probably have had his health seriously undermined by the disease. He would, if alive, be taking insulin every day. Even with this care, he would be fortunate to be alive. Periodical examination has served to save his life.

The ordinary citizen the thrifty farmer, the mechanic, finds it necessary to have an annual overhaul of their machinery, be it an automobile, a reaper or the tools of work. Yet the health of one's body is a thousand times more important than the maintenance quality of any machine.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company found that in a large group of its policy-holders who were regularly re-examined reduced their average mortality by 23%. Industrial concerns find it pays to check the health of their employees. In one plant during a period of twelve months eleven cases of diabetes and nineteen cases of Bright's disease (a kidney disease) were discovered at these examinations. Pulmonary tuberculosis may be found in time to save the patient and prevent infection in the family. The discovery of infected teeth and tonsils results in the cure and prevention of such disease. What is regarded by the person as simple indigestion may prove to be an ulcer of the stomach, appendicitis or disease of the gall-bladder. Ask yourself the question: Can I afford to neglect to have a periodical health examination? Do it on your birthday!

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**CANADIAN PACIFIC****Crowfoot Notes**

Mrs. Campbell, Verle and Alice Portney drove into town on Friday.

Mrs. Hoffmeyer went to Thessalon to attend the Women's Institute meeting on Friday afternoon.

Olille Boesen, Bill, Sid Tom and Arthur Robbourn, Mable Jones, Edith Smith, Bert Rose, Verle Campbell and Alice Portney attended the at the Mapeke school Saturday evening. All report an excellent time.

Mrs. D. C. Portney, Alice and June, Mrs. Holman and Vera and Mrs. C. Robbourn and Mrs. Hoffmeyer attended the Coronation Service at the English Church on Sunday evening.

The "baseball" boys of the district had a practice on Sunday afternoon at Mapeke and attracted a good audience.

The district has been visited with several dust storms the past week, at times almost impossible to see across the road. People would appreciate a little rain rather than so much wind and dust.

Seeding is completed and summer-fallow is under way. Fields are green and so far people are feeling quite optimistic. Just a little rain would stimulate their hopes however, and settle the dust blowing horrors.

Mrs. and Mrs. Emil Hejlske are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edna Bray and her sister, Miss Opal Taylor.

Mrs. F. Holman spent a day with Mrs. W. Harris in town.

Mrs. Wm. Robbourn spent Saturday and Sunday visiting at the Robbourn home.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kling who were married last Tuesday. They will reside in the district.

**IS IT TRUE?**

By the Club Reporter

That Roy Gayford has an apology coming to him. We will take back what we said about the dance last week—but we wonder if Gordon Smith had something to do with us being wrong.

That Dr. Scott has a new problem to contend with after witnessing the first aid demonstration given by the Scouts at the Stampeke grounds on Wednesday afternoon.

After last Sunday's baseball game at Tossbury, several local ball players were conspicuous by their absence.

That a "kid in the three cornered pants" fell for Scout Master McLewis at the Sports Grounds on Wednesday.

Two bigger clowns had great hopes of doing Amos 'n Andy out of a job on Wednesday—until the grease paint wore off.

That Charles Honey had a double date for the dance on Wednesday night. But just one turned up, and Little Audrey laughed and laughed.

That a certain young man received nothing in his tongue and on Wednesday afternoon—the reason a cement sidewalk near the Post Office.

**Lathom Notes**

Mrs. George Smith entertained quite a number to dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Allan of Calgary were visiting their daughter, Miss A. Allan Sunday. Mrs. Allan is spending the week here.

Mrs. D. Woyencko and William were Medicine Hat visitors over the week-end.

Mrs. A. J. Levesque Sr. of East Coles is visiting her son, A. J. Levesque.

Robert Price was a Brooks visitor Monday.

Leo Kokorevsky spent Sunday at home.

Miss Mary S. Lore was home for the week-end.

Mrs. R. Z. Lore and children attended the ball game at Countess Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Walsh spent Sunday at the Smith home.

Ed. Merithew spent Sunday at the Goodie home.

Mrs. George Sagar of Calgary is staying at the Mott's home for the summer.

Mr. L. Munro was in Bassano Sunday and Monday visiting her father, Mr. Thompson of Queenstown, who is in the hospital.

Mrs. Jimmie Hamilton and son are visiting Mrs. Andy Hood.

A very pleasant time was spent at the home of Mrs. H. Lore last Thursday by the ladies Community Club.

Nine members and four visitors were present.

The roll call was answered with good answers and enthusiasm.

A busy time is planned by the President for the summer months. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Mott on May 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Gilling were Bassano callers on Tuesday.

Justin Levesque was home for the week-end from Countess.

Forest Cowan and Martha Salmood were visitors at the Cowan home over the week-end at Mapeke.

**W. E. CAIN, M. L. A., SPEAKS AT HURBAI**

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The purpose of his address was to prove that his real interest was the people's problem. "Look back," he said, "and think of all the efforts and money put into the education of the people to start the Social Credit movement, and how, twenty months later, nothing has been accomplished."

"This line," Mr. Cain said he had come up to this session to demand Social Credit legislation. All were in harmony at the call of the Premier.

If the Government had any Social Credit ideas, he urged to Dr. Cross to show; Dr. Cross said no. The trouble was brought about the second night of the caucus. Mr. Cain said he and all members likewise had committed themselves to Social Credit; that the Premier and the cabinet had been hindering success by creating problems.

The so-called "insurgents" had asked for an early session to get action; 80 bills were passed in seven days; he urged to Dr. Cross to show; Dr. Cross said no. The trouble was brought about the second night of the caucus. Mr. Cain said he and all members likewise had committed themselves to Social Credit; that the Premier and the cabinet had been hindering success by creating problems.

"People do not realize how close we were to fascism," he said. "The Premier must have a change of government. The power must rest with the people. Legislators are believed to be the guardians of the people."

He asked the audience not to take his words, but to look the facts squarely in the face. When Mr. Lore presented the budget, they refused it because it was a taxation budget. Next night they brought up a resolution directing the Government not to increase taxation without exception, on large corporations. The "insurgents" put in a resolution to budget enough for three months and directed the Government to meet Social Credit legislation. The Premier asked if they meant to order the Government to do things? He also asked that the word "directed" be changed to "advised." This was lost and the resolution was passed.

Dr. Cross proposed a Social Credit plan based upon co-operation. He also said that there are no Social Credit speakers. When Mr. Hargreaves prepared a Social Credit plan, the Premier took out one clause so they couldn't say it was Hargreaves' plan. The "insurgents" asked to have the licensing act held up for 12 months instead the Government made out a book, showing taxes, and put the law into effect. To win over the real Social Crediters, the Premier offered to increase the indemnity by \$200.00, but they refused to take it. Mr. Cain said that the interest of each and everyone is involved in the future of the province. That interest is greater than any one man or party; the caucus comes first. He also said that any time he (Mr. Cain) was not satisfactory to his constituency, he would step out and not ask for more than 50% on the petition. He would oppose the budget, the script, the employment of Mr. Mager, but had tried to co-operate. At present, he said, all civil servants know not how long they may hold their jobs; there is too much unrest.

At the close of his speech, questions were asked for which he had long answers. When asked why the farmers had not paid out for seeding, he said "I am not a politician. The seed had been appropriated early. The cabinet turned over the job of Social Credit to a board of five M.L.A.'s but under their supervision."

A collection was taken to defray the expenses of the meeting. A vote of confidence was given Mr. Cain, ninety-nine per cent. Following the meeting lunch was served.

Judging from the charming diary of her hair, Amelia Barhart Putnam must use the locomotive technique in driving a plane.

**HITS FROM THE SCOUTS**

1936 REPORT

The annual report for the Scouts Association for 1936, presented at the annual meeting of April 24th, at Ottawa, showed a total membership of 85,946, and increase over 1935 of net 5,946.

**Membership Figures**

The figures for the different sections of the movement were: Wolf Cubs, 31,130; Scouts, 44,491; Lone Scouts, 577; Sea Scouts, 319; Rover Scouts, 211; leaders of all ranks, 6,950; Rover Scouts, 2,093.

**Membership by Provinces**

As in previous years, Ontario reported the highest provincial membership, with a total of 21,648. Quebec is next, with 8,738; Saskatchewan 8,626; Alberta 8,032; British Columbia, with 6,892; Nova Scotia 4,768; New Brunswick 3,565; P.E.I. 576.

**S. A. Life Saving Scouts**

Congratulations were also extended to the Salvation Army Life Saving Scouts upon a substantial addition to their numbers in 1936. Figures

confirming the affiliation of the Life Saving Scouts and the Boy Scouts as autonomous organizations under the chief Scout for Canada and the Canadian General Council were signed during the annual meeting.

**Toy Shops**

The report showed that Boy Scout Christmas Toy Shops operating in 11 towns and cities across the Dominion had Christmas provided gifts for approximately 100,000 children of needy families.

**Scout Apple Day**

Scout Apple Days were held in over 150 places, and many thousands of apples sold for eating out of hand, to the mutual benefit of apple growers and local economic funds. Much incidental advertising at the good eating qualities of Canadian apples was secured.

**Results of the**

The listing in the Scout (events at Angus, Ont., of 70,000 trees during the May 26th year-end was a feature of the report on Scout reforestation work. Since 1929 650,000 trees have been planted on the spot. Similar activities were reported from Nova Scotia and Manitoba. The New Brunswick the number of Scout Forewarders had substantially increased.

**World Friendship Badge**

For the first time in the history of Scouts The World Friendship Badge comes in for mention, as a means of encouraging goodwill and understanding among the Boy Scouts of all Nations. During the years 25 Canadian Scouts carried on the necessary exchange of letters with Scouts of other countries to qualify for this new badge.

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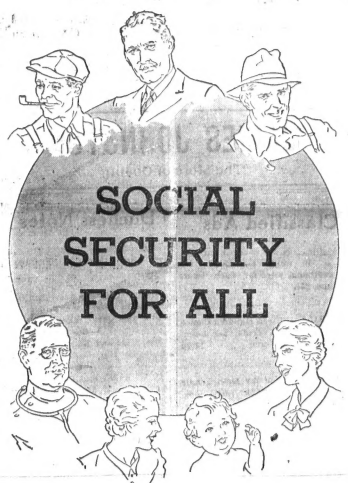
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Sardines, King Oscar, tin 15c  
Campbell's Spaghetti 2 tins for ..... 25c

Coffee, Cup Tested 3 lb. \$1.  
Tea, Broken Orange Pekoe Per lb. .... 50c  
Toilet Tissue, Pure White 5 Rolls for ..... 25c  
Matches, 3 Box Carton 29c  
Kraft's Boiled Salad Dressing, Per Jar ..... 25c  
Cocoa, Pure Dutch, lb. 25c  
Scotch Herring, Fried, Filleted, Delicious, tin 25c  
Sandwich Biscuits, Made From Soya Bean Flour, Per lb. .... 25c  
Baking Powder, 3 lb. tin, Blue Ribbon ..... 65c

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Often the right word said at the right time has changed a whole life.

Politeness has been well defined as benevolence in small things.

If we see no faults in our own work we shall never do any better.

### Duchess Notes

Mrs. Sheldrake, Mrs. Lake and Mrs. Scott motored to Bassano on Saturday.

Mrs. E. R. Sisson was taken to the hospital in Calgary on Friday. Mr. Sisson and Mr. Sisson accompanied her.

Mrs. Ross and Wilma Jean returned Monday from Medicine Hat.

C. W. Kellar and family spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lightfoot.

Mr. Ed Gahan spent several days in Calgary recently.

A lovely tea and bazaar was held Saturday under the auspices of the Duchess Girls Club. Buck was winner of the raffish rug.

Orators should always rehearse their speeches before a looking glass, says a clerkman. No speech should be made without due reflection.

Every year science enables us to get someplace quicker. We wish they'd figure out something to do when you get there.

The man who wins may have been counted out several times, but he didn't hear the referee.

Self-love leads me of narrow minds to measure all mankind by their own capacity.—Jane Parker.

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## Local and Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Hansen spent Sunday visiting in Brooks.

Miss Anne Clark of Calgary spent the week-end at her home here.

Harry Holmes Jr. is now employed as clerk in McKee's Stores.

Mr. L. Conn was a business visitor to Calgary on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Jack Summerhall and Bobbie spent Friday in Brooks.

Mr. Dante Ubertino was home from Normal for the Coronation Celebration.

Mr. Lloyd DeJardine of Glenora spent the first part of the week visiting with Walter Herman.

Mr. and Mrs. Olive Knabitt of Brooks spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stiles.

Jeta Marriott and Little Dross spent last Saturday visiting friends in Lethbridge.

Miss Audrey Kinney of Calgary is visiting her sister, Miss Irene Kinney, and is renewing acquaintances in town.

Miss Boneta Johnson, who has been working at Tudor for the past few months, was home for the Coronation celebration.

Mr. Art Thompson has received an Electrical Engineers degree and will receive the diploma at the University of Alberta this week.

Don Bark, son of the late Don Bark of the C.P.R. at Brooks, received his B. Sc. degree, and like his father, he will be an agriculturalist.

Miss Betty Johnston of Calgary, spent Coronation Day at her home here. This is her first visit since she left for Vancouver several months ago.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. John Bartson of Tiley, a son on April 30th. Mrs. Bartson was formerly Miss Marjorie Backus and was known to many Bassano folk.

The Coronation Church Service held in the local Anglican Church last Sunday evening drew a capacity crowd. The service was one of the most interesting ever heard in Bassano.

### Hussar Notes

Mr. Theo Larsen and Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown motored to Calgary Tuesday and Mr. and Mrs. Axel Mathsen returned with them. Mr. and Mrs. Mathsen will farm the Wilson place.

Mr. C. T. Armstrong returned from Calgary on Saturday and Mr. A. Pia went out with him to spend the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Nelson, Mrs. Hawshaw and the Misses Dorothy Nelson, Lois Nelson and Peggy Reeves motored to Lomond on Sunday to spend the day. Miss Reeves, who has been here for some time, remained at home.

Mrs. Maudie T. Larsen, A. Mathsen and E. J. Bell motored to Hussar on Sunday to attend the Mothers' Day banquet put on by the Junior and Senior W. I. Girls' Clubs. It was a very splendid affair.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Brown motored to Ains to visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Brown and to meet Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McLean and children of Delburne, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Bell of Gadsby. A real family re-union.

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